



NOTICE/AGENDA

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SEQUOIA REGIONAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Wednesday March 9, 2022

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DATE: March 9, 2022

TIME: 10:00am - NOON

MEETING LOCATION:

Online Only*- Register at Zoom here:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/join/ztZwudeGqqj0rEt1CnnGxXQvSCLBeP05nDh1F>

MEETING FACILITATOR AND CHAIR: Carrie Arnst

Item 1. CALL TO ORDER

Item 2. WELCOME AND INTRODUCTION

Item 3. ESTABLISH QUORUM

Item 4. Approval of Agenda/Prior Meeting Minutes **VOTE**

Item 5. PUBLIC COMMENTS

This item is for members of the public to provide comments and/or present information to the Council on matters not on the agenda. Each person who notifies our office in advance (Email sequoia@scdd.ca.gov) will be afforded up to three minutes to speak. Written requests, if any will be read aloud.

Item 6. New Business

- a. Introduction New Community Program Specialist –
Veronica Magallanes**
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Item 7. Presentation – What is Self-Determination?

- a. Yolanda Cruz will give an abridged overview**
 - b. Michael Esquibel will present his Self-Determination Story**
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Item 8. SCDD updates – Staff

- a. Staff will update on Sequoia Regional Office activities**
 - a. COVID Testing Kits**
 - b. Disparity Grant Information**
 - c. Emergency Backpacks**
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Item 9. Porterville Developmental Center Regional Center Update

Item 10. NEXT MEETING DATE AND ADJOURNMENT

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